



Great Falls Discovery Center

Department of Conservation and Recreation

NOVEMBER 2022 PROGRAMS

All Programs are free and open to the public. An adult must accompany children. Reasonable accommodations available upon request. Wheelchair accessible. Please follow all current COVID guidelines. Visit Mass.gov/COVID for more guidance. For more information call (413) 863-3221.

VISITOR CENTER

OPEN 6 days a week:

- Tuesdays, 10:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.
- Wednesdays—Sundays, 10:00 a.m.—5:00 p.m.
- Closed Thanksgiving Day

Come explore the natural, cultural and industrial history of the Connecticut River Watershed with our dynamic exhibit dioramas. Adjacent to the Canalside Rail Trail, the center also includes the Great Hall exhibit gallery, restrooms, and drinking water. Wheelchair accessible. Located at 2 Avenue A in Turners Falls.

ONGOING, NOV. 4 to NOV. 30

GREAT HALL ART EXHIBIT: THE GOOD OLD DAYS, PAINTINGS BY LEE GRAY

Painter Lee Gray brings us scenes from the good old days when the world was good and kind.

ONGOING

STORY WALK® SERIES

Enjoy a story, fresh air and exercise! Join us on the grounds of the center for a FREE series of self-guided StoryWalks® featuring children's picture books. Follow the path to book pages posted along the route. Wonderful stories await!

November 5—November 8

From Apple Trees to Cider, Please! by Felicia Sanzari Cherneskey. For young readers ages 4—8, and everyone who loves the harvest season. Enjoy the 2022 CiderDays Cider Trail at <u>ciderdays.org</u>, November 5—6.

November 12—January 1

Thanks to the Animals, by Allen Sockabasin. For young readers ages 6—8 and anyone grateful for wildlife and storytelling.

The StoryWalk® Project was created by Anne Ferguson of Montpelier, VT and developed in collaboration with the Kellogg-Hubbard Library. Story Walk® is a registered service mark owned by Ms. Ferguson. This StoryWalk® is provided by Massachusetts Department of Conservation and Recreation Interpretive Services.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 5

GREAT HALL ART RECEPTION: THE GOOD OLD

DAYS, PAINTINGS BY LEE GRAY,

Great Hall, 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Come join us for a reception with the artist, painter Lee Gray, whose work brings us slices of life from the good old days.

FRIDAYS, NOV. 11 & 18 KIDLEIDOSCOPE STORY HOUR

11/11: Owls; 11/18: Bear; 10:30—11:30 a.m.

Great Hall Courtyard and Great Hall

For ages 3-6, accompanied by an adult. Learn more about our wildlife neighbors who share our home in the Connecticut River Watershed. Program includes a story, activities, and a craft. Activities are indoors and outdoors, weather permitting. Siblings and friends welcome.

SATURDAY, NOV. 12 THE NOLUMBEKA PROJECT PRESENTS: FULL BEAVER MOON GATHERING

11:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m., Great Hall

The Nolumbeka Project presents the annual Full Beaver Moon Gathering. Meet guest presenter, Mashpee Wampanoag artist Robert Peters, in celebration of his fabulous "Peskeompskut" painting, recently purchased by the Town of Montague. Raffle drawing of items donated by Pocumtuck Homelands Festival artists. Free admission. All welcome. For more information about the event visit *nolumbekaproject.org*.

FRIDAY, NOV. 25 GO GREEN ON BLACK FRIDAY WALK

1:00-2:30 p.m., front entrance

Forget shopping—let's connect with nature and local history! Join us for a leisurely walk along the Canalside Rail Trail. The walk is about 3 miles-long, on a level paved surface. Makes for an easy stroll for adults and children ages 8 and up. Be prepared for cold weather, dress in layers. Wear sturdy shoes and bring water. Walk begins at the front entrance to the Great Falls Discovery Center. Inclement weather or icy trail conditions cancels.

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